MINUTES-11/6/13

Introduction: Adam Skinner

PTA members in attendance:

- Christina Rossetti, VP
- Dawn Gonzalez, secretary
- Nick Jones, Principal
- Holly Sams
- Mary Ann Walsh
- Catrina Priest
- Lamont Priest
- Chelsea Gordon
- Denise/Allen McInnish

Upcoming School/PTA E vents

Game night-Wednesday, 11/13, 6-7 free hot chocolate-flyers went home in Friday folder, 11/8

• Pass out pies 3:30-7:00

K-2 Fitness night- Wednesday, 11/20, 5:30-6:30. Chelsea to create flyers

Upcoming PTA meeting-Wednesday, 12/4 @6:00

PTA dues

- Dues are \$6.00 per person/\$10.00 per couple
- Checks are accepted-make checks payable to Verplanck PTA
- Your presence is always appreciated at the PTA meetings; however, if you have paid your dues, your vote will count, if dues are not paid, you are not eligible to vote.

Discussed possible Verplanck Yard Sale in the Spring, 2014. Still having discussions

Reviewed current budget

Distributed October's PTA meeting minutes

Possible monthly PTA newsletter

Discussed possible upcoming family bowling night fundraiser for Saturday, 1/18 @ 11:00

- Create/distribute early sign up for head count
- Tickets to be sold in advance and at the door

Butterbraid fundraiser to begin Friday, 11/8 and end Friday, 11/22

VOTING:

- Ramon Guzman voted in as treasurer
- Sweatshirts with Verplanck logo
 - o Adam to obtain quotes
- Watercooler for Verplanck staff/teachers
 - Staff to continue to maintain water

PTA to purchase games for K-5 to have for future use.

Verplanck School collects box tops to collect money for the school. Box tops can be handed in to classroom teacher. (50 per bag is appreciated)

Registering your Stop & Shop rewards card for Verplanck School at Stop & Shop also builds points which collects money towards the school.

PTA EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

- November-
 - 11/8 Butter braid fundraiser starts, ends 11/22
 - o 11/13 Pie delivery starting at 3:30
 - 11/13 Family game night with pie delivery 6-7
 - Free hot chocolate
 - 11/20 Fitness night, 5:30-6:30 Grades K-2
- December-
 - Parent/teacher conferences
- January-dance
- January-possible Spare Time family bowling, Saturday, 1/18 @ 11:00
- February-Munson's fundraiser and possibly a raffle
- March-ice cream social
- May-teacher appreciation week

Mr. Jones

- School Governance Council
 - o Meets 6 times a school year
 - First meeting is third Thursday of November
 - o Ballot of names to be chosen to go home in Friday folders on 11/8
- To obtain acceptable snack list

UPCOMING PTA MEETINGS

- Wednesday, 12/4/13 @6:00
- Wednesday, 1/8/14 @6:00
- Wednesday, 2/5/14 @6:00
- Wednesday, 3/5/14 @6:00
- Wednesday, 4/2/14 @6:00
- Wednesday, 5/7/14 @6:00
- Wednesday, 6/4/14 @6:00